



Flood Mitigation Assistance FY2016 (FMA)



The Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA) program provides funds for projects to reduce or eliminate risk of flood damage to buildings that are insured under the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) .

Sub-Applications are due to the State no later than 3 pm on April 29, 2016.

To apply to the Flood Mitigation Assistance program go to:

<https://portal.fema.gov>

Paper or email sub-applications cannot be accepted.

Eligible Sub-Applicants:

- State and Local Governmental Agencies
- Indian Tribal Governments

** Individual homeowners and businesses may not apply directly to the program, however, a community may apply on their behalf if the property is covered by a current NFIP policy.*

Cost Share Breakdown by Property Type (Percentage of Federal/Non-Federal Share)

Severe Repetitive Loss Property	100/ 0
Repetitive Loss Property	90/10
All other insured Properties	75/25
Planning Grants	75/25

**SUB-APPLICANTS MUST HAVE A FEMA-APPROVED MITIGATION PLAN BY
April 29, 2016 TO BE ELIGIBLE TO APPLY FOR PROJECT FUNDING**

ELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES INCLUDE:

- Property acquisition and Structure Demolition
- Structure Elevation
- Dry Flood-proofing (Non-residential and Historic residential structures only)
- Minor Localized Flood Reduction Projects (that primarily benefit NFIP insured structures)
- Mitigation Re-construction

**All projects must be in compliance with DEMHS's Flood Certification from CT DEEP
(including elevation of structures to the 500 yr flood event plus 1 foot)**

All elevations/re-construction/flood-proofing projects must be designed to ASCE 24-14

Projects will be ranked in the following order:

1. Acquisition/Demolition of Severe Repetitive Loss Properties
2. Acquisition/Demolition of Repetitive Loss Properties
3. All other projects

**All projects must be cost-effective using FEMA's Benefit Cost Analysis Software or Pre-Calculated Benefits
Projects will be ranked within their category by Benefit Cost Ratio**

For more information about FMA or other programmatic requirements, go to:

<http://www.fema.gov/media-library/assets/documents/103279>

For information on property classification as Repetitive Loss or Severe Repetitive Loss, please contact

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Sub-Applications for funding must be received via e-grants no later than 3pm on April 29, 2016